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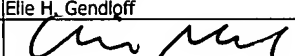
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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application No. 10/501,628

Title: MUTATIONS CAUSED BY ACTIVATION-INDUCED
CYTIDINE DEAMINASE

Inventors: Alberto Martin and Matthew D. Scharff

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following documents in connection with the above-identified application in the names of Alberto Martin and Matthew D. Scharff, entitled MUTATIONS CAUSED BY ACTIVATION-INDUCED CYTIDINE DEAMINASE, comprising the following:

1. a "Preliminary Amendment," (11 pages); and
2. a return receipt postcard.

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Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment provides claim amendments for the above-identified patent application.

Amendments

Please enter the following claim amendments in the instant patent application.